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Inventor: Harold I. Sussman For: IMPLANT HOLE GUIDE Our Ref. J203-005 CIP

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- 1. 21 Pages English Appln., including 20 Claims and 1 Pg. Abstract;
- 2. 9 Sheets of Drawings, Figs. 1-19;
- 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 Pgs.); and
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